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OR 59881
Hager

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CATEGORICAL EXCLUSION REVIEW

Background: Right-of-Way Grant OR 59881 was issued by the BLM to Randy Hager on March 19, 2004. Grant OR 59881 expires in 2034 and authorized the right to operate, maintain, repair, and terminate a domestic waterline west of Lorane (within the BLM's S½SE¼, Section 17, T. 20 S., R. 5 W., Will. Mer.). Recently, Randy Hager has sold the private property served by the right-of-way to Elizabeth and Stephen Haney. Accordingly, the Haney's have submitted an application to the BLM for assignment of the grant to them.

Proposed Action: The proposed action is to approve the assignment of Right-of-Way Grant OR 59881 to Elizabeth and Stephen Haney. The terms of the grant would remain unchanged and the Haney's, in the assignment application submitted, have agreed to comply with and be bound by all terms and conditions of the said grant. No ground-disturbing activities are associated with the Proposed Action.

Decision: It is my decision to approve the assignment of Right-of-Way Grant OR 59881 to Elizabeth and Stephen Haney. Terms of the existing grant remain unchanged.

Rationale: The proposed action qualifies as a categorical exclusion as described in the Departmental Manual [516 DM 6.5, Appendix 5.4E.(9)], which reads, "(9)Renewals and assignments of leases, permits or rights-of-way where no additional rights are conveyed beyond those granted by the original authorizations." The proposed action does not meet any of the categorical exclusion exception criteria. Stephen and Elizabeth Haney have made application for the assignment in accordance with regulations found in 43 CFR 2803.6-3 and 2803.6-4. The right-of-way grant document (OR 59881) is assignable.

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Exception Criteria Review Checklist

Proposed Action: The proposed action is to approve the assignment of Right-of-Way Grant OR 59881 from Randy Hager to Elizabeth and Stephen Haney.

Review the Proposed Action against each of the ten criteria listed below. If the project meets one or more of the criteria, it is an exception from categorical exclusion and MUST be analyzed in an EA or EIS. To qualify as a Categorical Exclusion the Proposed Action may not meet any of the criteria. If the criterion does not apply, indicate "Not Applicable." Any mitigation measures (such as contract stipulations or terms and conditions on permits) necessary to ensure that the Proposed Action qualifies as a categorical exclusion should be identified at the bottom of the page.

Exception Criteria		Comments
1.	Have significant adverse effects on public health or safety	No.
2.	Have adverse effects on unique resources (i.e., parks, recreation, refuge lands, wilderness areas, wild or scenic rivers, wetlands, floodplains, etc.)	No.
3.	Have highly controversial environmental effects	No.
4.	Have highly uncertain environmental effects or involve unique or unknown environmental risks	No.
5.	Establish a precedent that could result in significant impacts	No.
6.	Be directly related to other actions having cumulatively significant effects	No.
7.	Have adverse effects on cultural or historical resources	No.
8.	Have adverse effects on species listed or proposed as threatened or endangered or have adverse effect on designated critical habitat for these species.	No.
9.	Require compliance with E.O. 11988 (floodplain management), E.O. 11990 (protection of wetlands), or the Fish & Wildlife Coordination Act	No.
10.	Threaten to violate Federal, State, Local or Tribal law or requirements imposed for the protection of the environment	No.
Mitigation measures needed to qualify as CE: None have been identified.		

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